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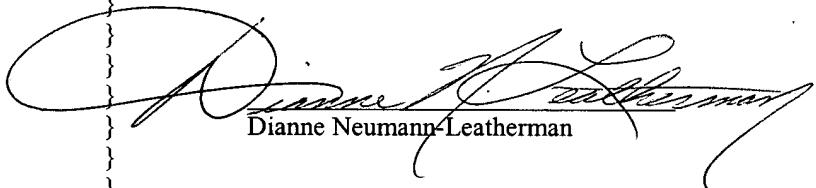
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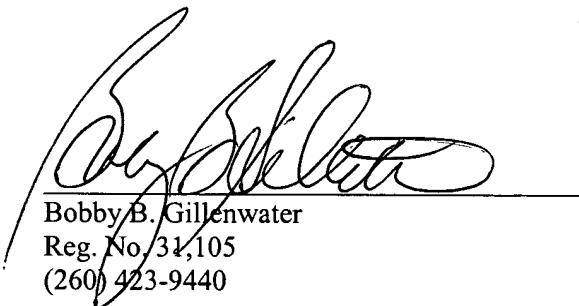
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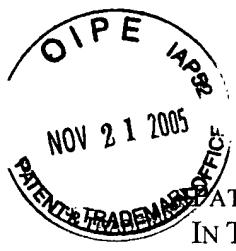
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Sir/Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated August 26, 2005, the applicant respectfully requests that the present application be reconsidered in light of the remarks presented herein.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 2 of this paper.